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Docket No. ODS-38

Applicant : William L. Thomas
For : SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR PRESENTING A
LOTTERY INTERFACE IN AN INTERACTIVE
WAGERING APPLICATION

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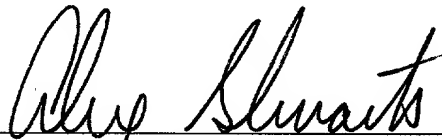
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